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1	A bill to be entitled
2	An act relating to the express preemption of fuel
3	retailers and related transportation infrastructure;
4	creating s. 377.707, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting
5	a municipality, county, special district, or political
6	subdivision from taking certain actions to prohibit
7	the siting, development, or redevelopment of fuel
8	retailers and the related transportation
9	infrastructure and from requiring fuel retailers to
10	install or invest in a particular kind of fueling
11	infrastructure; providing construction; providing an
12	effective date.
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14	Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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16	Section 1. Section 377.707, Florida Statutes, is created
17	to read:
18	377.707 Express preemption of fuel retailers and related
19	transportation infrastructure
20	(1) As used in this section, the term:
21	(a) "Fuel retailer" means a fuel station or retail
22	establishment that sells fuel to provide power to vehicles.
23	(b) "Related transportation infrastructure" means storage
24	tanks, pipelines, or any related equipment that is necessary to
25	deliver fuel to a fuel retailer or dispense fuel at a fuel

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26	<u>retailer.</u>
27	(2) A municipality, county, special district, or political
28	subdivision may not do any of the following:
29	(a) Adopt a law, an ordinance, a regulation, a policy, or
30	a resolution that prohibits the siting, development, or
31	redevelopment of a fuel retailer or the related transportation
32	infrastructure that is necessary to provide fuel to a fuel
33	retailer within the entirety of the jurisdictional boundary of
34	the municipality, county, special district, or political
35	subdivision.
36	(b) Adopt or apply a law, an ordinance, a regulation, a
37	policy, or a resolution that results in the de facto prohibition
38	of a fuel retailer or the related transportation infrastructure
39	that is necessary to provide fuel to a fuel retailer within the
40	entirety of the jurisdictional boundary of a municipality,
41	county, special district, or political subdivision.
42	(c) Require a fuel retailer to install or invest in a
43	particular kind of fueling infrastructure, including, but not
44	limited to, electric vehicle charging stations.
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46	This section does not preempt a municipality, county, special
47	district, or political subdivision from adopting and
48	implementing a law, an ordinance, a regulation, a policy, or a
49	resolution that is not otherwise inconsistent with general law
50	relating to the siting, development, or redevelopment of fuel

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51	retailers or related transportation infrastructure necessary for				
52	them to provide fuel, if such law, ordinance, regulation,				
53	policy, or resolution does not result in a de facto prohibition				
54	of fuel retailers or related transportation infrastructure				
55	necessary to provide fuel to fuel retailers from being sited,				
56	developed, or redeveloped within zoning or land use				
57	classifications where such infrastructure is consistent with				
58	other allowable uses.				
59	Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.				

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